RECALL OF ELECTRICAL FLOOR OUTLETS DUE TO POSSIBLE SHOCK HAZARD

The Department of Housing and Community Development (Division of Codes and Standards) has issued an informational bulletin that provides important information concerning the U.S. Consumer Products Safety Commission's (CPSC) recall, in voluntary cooperation with Lamson & Sessions, of approximately 100,000 Carlon ® Drop-In Floor Boxes manufactured by Lamson & Sessions, of Cleveland Ohio

The recalled floor boxes are wired incorrectly resulting in reverse polarity. This poses a shock or electrocution hazard to consumers. The drop-in floor boxes are used to provide an extra electrical outlet in the floor. They were sold under the Carlon ® brand name and have a brass finish cover approximately 3½ inches in diameter. The following website contains the notice and views of the affected device. http://www.cpsc.gov/CPSCPUB/PREREL/prhtml07/07159.html.

Questions concerning the recalled drop-in floor boxes should be directed to Lamson & Sessions, toll-free, at (866) 626-1531 between the 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or visit www.lamson-home.com. Questions regarding this Information Bulletin may be directed to HCD's State Housing Law Program staff at (916) 445-9471.